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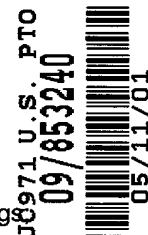
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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Christine S. Vincent and Richard E. Philo for Method and System for Conducting Business Transactions Through Multiple and Diverse Distribution and Product Order Channels.

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- x form 1449, IDS;
- x combined declaration and power of attorney, unsigned;
- x utility patent application consisting of 32 pages of specification, claims and abstract and 6 sheets of drawings



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